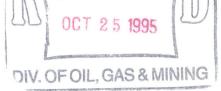


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## **BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

Moab District San Rafael Resource Area 125 South 600 West Price, Utah 84501



3809 (UTU-69864) (UT-067)

W.L. Wilson Sinbad Mining Corporation P.O. Box 2183 Grand Junction, Colorado 81502

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Dear Mr. Wilson:

We recommend that the following seed mixture be used at a rate of 11.5 pounds per acre:

| <u>Grasses/Species</u>                                 |   | Pounds per Acre       |
|--|---|-----------------------|
| Indian ricegrass<br>Galleta grass<br>Blue grama        | Oryzopis hymenoides<br>Hilaria jamesii<br>Boutloua gracilis       | 3<br>3<br>1           |
| Shrubs & Forbs/Species                                 |   |                       |
| Yellow sweet clover<br>Prostrate kochia<br>Globemallow | Melilotus officinalis<br>Kochia prostrata<br>Sphaeralcea coccinea | 1.5<br>2<br>1<br>11.5 |

It would be best if the soil was analyzed in order to determine fertilizer requirements. In absence of such an analysis, nitrogen should be applied at a rate of 50 pounds per acre. The fertilizer should be harrowed into the ground. If the seed is broadcast, it can be harrowed at the same time as the fertilizer. One ton of straw should be worked into the spoil pile prior to seeding. If hydromulching is used, the coating should be applied at a rate of one ton per acre.

Other reclamation should be done as discussed with you at the Sinbad Mine by Neil Simmons of my staff and Tony Gallegos of Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining. We appreciate your cooperation in getting this site reclaimed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Neil Simmons of my staff at 801-636-3639.

Sincerely,

## PENELOPE J. DUNN

Area Manager

cc: Tony Gallegos

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